

Mt. Vernon Signal

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MASONIC.

Ashland Lodge No. 640 meets every Second Monday at 1 p. m.

CHURCHES.

Christian—Holds services 3rd Sunday at 11 a. m. and at 6:30 p. m.—Rev. Joseph Ballou, pastor.
Presbyterian—Holds services on the 4th Sunday.—Rev. L. M. Scroggs, pastor.

LOCAL & OTHERWISE.

Home and Farm, and the SIGNAL for \$1.25.

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Come to the SIGNAL office for Court blanks.

We are printing large quantities of candidates cards.

The Oil fever has attacked the people of Louis County.

Home and Farm, Louisville, and SIGNAL one year, \$1.25.

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E. B. Cox has a full line of groceries etc. and has a fine trade.

Born: To the wife of Ashley Owens, Jr., a son, on Friday last.

C. A. Redd Sr. of Crab Orchard is visiting Dr. Cooper Livingston.

S. W. Davis can neatly repair your shoes with an invisible patch.

Mrs. Ashley Owens, Jr., living near the Gilpin quarry, is seriously ill.

Don't forget the new firm of Davis & Son when you want cash bargains.

R. E. Thompson, Livingston, keeps fresh meats and groceries at lowest rates.

Dressmaking by Mrs. A. Pennington and daughter, near the Baptist church.

Davis & Son's, Cash Store, best goods at low down prices, for cash or country produce.

Just think! S. W. Davis can fit your horse in a leather collar for 80c; No. 1 cloth collar 25c.

Silver is being hunted by all the people who have a little spare time down in Cumberland county.

Cartwright & Co.; general merchandise, Junction City, have assigned to John W. Rawlings, of Danville.

Circuit Court convened at Danville on the 18th. There were 16 divorce cases on the docket, the largest number ever known at one term.

State Examiner Lester will report upon the Hopkinsville and Eddyville question soon. It is thought when he does some official heads will "drop."

There are nine people from Lincoln county in the lunatic asylum at Lexington. Garrard has eight, Boyle two and Rockcastle four.

—(Interior Journal).

The Republican County Committee met at the Court-house on Monday last and decided to hold a primary election on March 20, 1897, for the purpose of nominating county officers.

Tom Smith, of Gilpin's quarry, fell from a car at the quarry last week and cut a serious gash in his head. The doctor had to be called and it was several hours before he regained consciousness.

A Wildie correspondent of the Mt. Vernon SIGNAL writes: "There is a candidate for President in 1900 living at Wildie. He split 103 rails in two hours and thirty minutes."—Courier-Journal.

We have since learned that he split them out of black gun.

Jim Thompson is in from Garrard. Dr. Will Childers left for Louisville Monday to enter on a course of medical lectures.

M. R. Jones, Conway, who gave us the Wildie news for some months called on us Saturday.

Some of the friends of F. L. Warren are insisting on his running for the office of magistrate.

James Thompson, working at Chas. Lewis' sawmill, lost three of his fingers from the saw.

Mr. Grinstead, of Conway, and Miss Kittie Owens were married last Wednesday a week ago.

Mrs. Sue Mullins, who already owns a big slice of Livingston is going ahead putting up more buildings.

L. A. Pettus who lately started a drugstore at Livingston is nicely located and is doing a good business.

John Henzman, our Deutscher freund now located at Ford, this state, is visiting his parents at Marteburg.

A. N. Bently says Livingston will still advance and that her prospects grow brighter for the location of the division there.

Our Friend W. F. Tubbs of Livingston who has been down fifteen days with a seige of sickness is now well enough to "fuss" with his nurses.

Our office was graced Saturday afternoon of the presence of the following young ladies: Misses Alice Lewis, Lena McClure and Mattie Lee Newcomb.

I am now running my mill and prepared to furnish at Mt. Vernon, pine, poplar and oak lumber at reasonable rates.

G. W. GENTRY, JR.

Rev. F. L. Warren called on us Saturday and remembered the "paper published for the people now on earth," to the amount of one years subscription.

Mrs. Martha Franklin has moved her millinery and dressmaking to their residence on Taylor Avenue in west part of town, near the Baptist church, where she will be glad to see all her friends.

Livingston's new wagon bridge is being erected. Ashly Owens and Jacob Sambrook are the chief promoters. Uncle Ashley tells us that in the spring he will start a railroad to Jackson.

SCHOOL TAX NOTICE.—School District No. 1. Taxes now due and not paid by January 20, will compel me to levy, thereby adding costs. Settle now and save costs.

W. A. Cox, Collector.

As the end of the year is approaching, I ask all my customers to come and settle accounts and begin anew the coming year. I request the continuance of your patronage.

JONAS MCKENZIE.

All persons indebted to me will please come forward and settle. I want my books squared up for the new year. This is strictly business. I mean just what I say. I mean You if you owe me.

W. M. Poynter.

We learn from John Mullins that the raid mentioned as having been made by U. S. marshals actually took place on two moonshine stills in a cave on Crooked Creek last week. Though no winchester rifles were found. The cave is considered a wonderful one and was only recently discovered by the officers.

Up in North Dakota last week a party was camping near the foothills, and it being warm and nice one morning concluded to hang the kettle on the rack and wash out a few clothes. The kettle was put on, the fire made on the south side, and in less than half an hour the wind had shifted to the north and a blizzard came sweeping down, and in a short while to the surprise of the camping party—the kettle was boiling on the south side and freezing on the north side.

We have to carry over some valuable correspondence until next week. We did not have room.

James I. White one of our enterprising citizens called to see us Wednesday and renewed subscriptions for several of his near relatives.

Noah Tyree and Miss Laura E. Riddle were married last Sunday. This is Mr. Tyree's third matrimonial venture. The SIGNAL's best wishes are with them.

Mrs. Ann Terrill, an estimable woman, a native of this county, and sister of our townsman J. L. Joplin, died in Paris, Texas last week, all of our older citizens knew Mrs. Terrill and will be grieved to hear of her death.

Get a Newman Bros. Organ—not the cheapest, but the best. Can be bought on easy terms. Have one shipped direct from the factory. A. C. Stapp will explain the whole business. Call on him.

TAKEN UP.—Black mare, 15½ hands high, roach mane, white spot on neck, 15 years old. Taken up by me on 27th, of December, three miles north west of Mt. Vernon at Booth Percells. Owner can recover same by paying proper expenses.

C. C. Davis.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.—By mutual agreement the firm of Davis & King has been dissolved. All liabilities of the firm are assumed by their successors, Davis & Son; W. A. B. Davis and Simeon Davis. All notes and accounts of the firm of Davis & King are to be paid or settled with Davis & Son.

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See date on label paper. It signifies the date to which you have paid. If you owe us, send along the CASH so as to aid in making the SIGNAL the best local paper in the mountains.

In our business experience with all classes of advertisers we have found no better people than the Chamberlain Medicine Co. They have a good article of medicine, spend their money to let the people know of it. When bills are due to the newspaper men checks are on hands to meet it. You can always rely upon the word of the Chamberlain's.

Monday evening the editor dropped off at Livingston called on W. C. Mullins and Co. the big merchants. R. E. Thompson the butcher, Pope and Graves, butchers, saw Bowman and Cockrell and explained how cheaply the SIGNAL was doing Job work. Had a friendly quarrel with that excellent merchant Joseph Coffey who always gives us a "dig" but stands by our paper. Mrs. Coffey invited us to hear the piano recital to be given by Miss Peters, of St Joseph Mo. who is visiting Livingston friends, at the residence of Mr. Worman. Fine music and songs were rendered, most of the Livingston beauties were there. Every one enjoyed the occasion. Bill Dillion and all his boys, nearly all of Livingston's young men were on hands. A recitation by Miss Ella May Saunders, given in dramatic form was the hit of the evening. We wish we had space to mention all the pretty girls present. The entertainment wound up with an enjoyable dance in which part was taken by nearly all present. There were some other splendid parts on the program but being a newspaper man I was not allowed to witness except under a promise to keep mum. Ask Bill Dillion. Mrs. Worman made every one feel at home and enjoy themselves.

IN MEMORIAM.

After the dread disease of Diptheria had for nine days fed upon the little body of Schooler Lee Adams, the light began to dawn, and we found that we must give him up, it was not until then that he himself realized in his childish way that he must die. "Mother," he said "I am going away off." He in his innocence did not know how those words would pierce his mothers heart, for this was the truth, she knew but too well. His last words were "Mother, Mother." He was too weak to say more, but doubtless he saw the myriads of angels which had come to accompany him on his way from earth to heaven and he was prone to tell his mother, then he closed his eyes and slept in the arms of Jesus. Weep not farther and mother we know 'tis hard to give him up, but remember the grave is only the gate-way to heaven.

I. M. A.

The story is telegraphed from Harrodsburg to the Louisville Post that deputy collectors J. C. Wilson of Louisville, and Tom Austin of Garrard county had just made a raid into the great Salt Peter cave on Crooked Creek this county. From the description given of the cave it would appear to be one of the most wonderful "holes in the ground" to be found not excepting the mammoth. This correspondent claims that two stills of 100 gallon capacity each were found a mile under ground and several hundred feet below the surface and that two or three boxes of human bones were discovered. Half a dozen Winchester rifles were picked up at the two stills that were singing merrily the lullaby of intoxication as the steam and smoke lazily rolled up. No mention is made of the officers having seen a human being anywhere in the cave precincts. Now it strikes us that these correspondents have been sending in their cock and bull stories about the mountains long enough and intelligent readers throughout the state ought to know by this time that all the salt peter contained in the great cave above mentioned, and there are thousands of tons of it there, would scarcely suffice to save the reporters on account of their misstatements whom so often draw upon their imagination for news items especially when it has reference to the mountains of Kentucky and its people. We are heartily tired of this abuse. Of course we have some bad men, but show us any county or community that is clear of them. Give the mountains a small rest brothers and look after your toll gate raiders and other lawbreakers in a land that has so long been lauded to the skies as the greatest on Gods earth and where every citizen is supposed to be a leader in church and Sunday School. Give us a rest.

HOW TO PREVENT CROUP.

Some reading that will prove interesting to young mothers. How to guard against the disease.

Croup is a terror to young mothers and to post them concerning the cause, first symptoms and treatment is the object of this item. The origin of croup is a common cold. Children who are subject to it take cold very easily and croup is almost sure to follow. The first symptom is hoarseness; this is soon followed by a peculiar rough cough, which is easily recognized and will never be forgotten by one who has heard it. The time to treat it is when the child first becomes hoarse. If Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is freely given all tendencies to croup will soon disappear. Even after the croupy cough has developed it will prevent the attack. There is no danger in giving this remedy for it contains nothing injurious. For sale by M. C. & D. N. Williams, Mt. Vernon; and W. A. Beazley & Son, Crab Orchard, Ky.

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The wife of Leonard Wells, of East Brimfield Mass., had been suffering from neuralgia for two days, not being able to sleep or hardly keep still when Mr. Holden, the merchant there sent her a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm. and asked that she give it a thorough trial. On meeting Mr. Wells the next day he was told that she was all right, the pain had left her within two hours, and the bottle of Pain Balm was worth \$5.00 if it could not be had for less. For sale at 50 cents per bottle by M. C. & D. N. Williams, Mt. Vernon, Ky.; and W. A. Beazley & Son, Crab Orchard, Ky.

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